

Local News.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901.

Murdered in Florida.

HASTINGS, Fla., April 14.—Julius Eskew, white, manager of the Armstrong turpentine camp near here, was shot and killed by Jim Kerby, a negro, last night. Eskew had \$200 on his person and the negro wanted the money. After Eskew was dead, Kerby started toward the body for the purpose of robbing him but was frightened away. He escaped into a swamp, where he was captured with the aid of bloodhounds. While Sheriff Perry was waiting in the depot with the negro to take him to St. Augustine, unknown parties fired through a window and put five bullets in Kerby's back. He thought he would die, and made a confession implicating himself. Later, the negro was shot and killed. Bloodhounds are now after Lee. Eskew was well and favorably known in Florida. The crime has caused intense excitement in St. John's County, and there may be a double lynching.

Mr. Eskew was the eldest son of Mr. J. A. Eskew, of Centerville Township, and about 30 years of age. He was a most worthy, industrious young man, and the sad news of his death will bring sorrow to a wide circle of friends and relatives in this County, who deeply sympathize with the sorely bereaved parents. The remains reached home yesterday evening and will be buried this morning at 11 o'clock at Salem Church.

A Visit to Anderson.

Mr. U. S. Galloway, editor of the local department of that staunch and ever interesting journal, *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian*, who recently visited Anderson, speaks of his trip as follows:

Business called us to Anderson last week. We went up through the country. It was a delight to see the careful way in which the farmers are preparing their grounds. The land is terraced everywhere and great attention paid to keeping the terraces in fix. These are thrown up with large two or three horse plows, and then thrown from each side with shovels. Some of these terraces are three feet high. It is not uncommon to make a bale, and more, of cotton to the acre. "Attention to the terraces" is put in the contract when renting land. This provision should be in all contracts.

The city of Anderson is making rapid progress. We don't know of a city that has the fine farming country back of it that Anderson has. The town is building all the time. A number of persons said to us: "Now is the time to start an A. B. P. church in Anderson." That is our judgment. Concord and Anderson could take the time of a man profitably. The Presbytery at a synod should take hold of this matter and act on it.

It was our privilege to spend a night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barton of Anderson. They have an elegant home and beautifully furnished. Recently built on a commanding site. Mr. Barton is one of the prominent business men of Anderson. We went through his lumber mills. He has everything well arranged and is prepared to turn out good work on short notice. Mr. Barton married a Due West girl of whom he is justly proud.

We spent a delightful night with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Brownlee in Anderson. His two charming daughters gave us some delightful music on the piano and the violin. Mr. Brownlee has an elegant home.

We visited Concord when at Anderson. Found Mr. Robert Moorehead and Mr. Burris as hospitable as ever. We saw the neat and cozy new church building at Concord. It is an honor to the congregation. Is really tasty. Four acres are attached to the church. We found a feeling that Concord and Anderson should be put under the care of a man for all the time. Bro. A. L. Patterson having resigned the work at Concord, this plan impressed us.

Mr. Moorehead and the other gentlemen here have some splendid farming land. Both of these gentlemen have built new houses—Mr. T. E. McConnell since we were last at Concord. Mrs. McConnell is laying the foundation of a beautiful flower garden. There are some handsome flowers in bloom now.

Memorial Day at Old Stone Church and Pendleton—May 4.

At a special meeting of Camp Tally State, No. 1,006, United Confederate Veterans, at Pendleton a few days ago to arrange for the celebration of Memorial Day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That Col. J. A. Hoyt be invited to deliver an address in commemoration of the dead Confederate soldiers and the women of the Confederacy, and that another orator be invited to deliver an address in behalf of the Sons of Veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy.

Resolved, That the following ladies living in our neighboring towns and the city of Anderson, who are personally or socially interested in the dead soldiers that are buried at Old Stone Church and the Churchyard at Pendleton, be invited to take part in the decorations and celebration in honor of our dead comrades who sleep here:

Seneca—Mesdames Col. Livingston, J. W. Stribling and B. F. Sloan.

Anderson—Mesdames W. W. Humphreys, John W. Beckley, H. Gibson, and Miss Nora Hubbard.

Clemson College—Mesdames Dr. Sloan, Judge Hook and D. B. Sloan.

Walhalla—Mesdames Col. Norton, Major Penny, C. L. Reid and G. K. Maxwell.

Each and every lady and all the girls of Pendleton, and surrounding country are especially invited by the Camp to make a great effort on Memorial Day to decorate the graves and do honor to all the dead. From the humblest private to the highest officer, who sleep here.

Our Executive Committee consists of Dr. Davant, Col. R. W. Simpson, Geo. E. Taylor, W. M. Gibson and Benj. C. Crawford. The ladies of Pendleton and those named above from our neighboring towns are requested to co-operate with this Executive Committee in the decoration arrangements and ceremonies.

The Executive Committee is authorized to appoint a junior committee, composed of whatever number deemed best, to assist in the work.

J. C. STRIBLING, Com.

R. E. SLOAN, Adj.

Singing Convention.

The Anderson County Singing Convention will meet at Eureka Church on Saturday before the first Sunday in May at 10 o'clock a. m. Each singing school, Sunday school having a choir, is entitled to two delegates.

Everybody is invited to attend and bring their music books. I wish to emphasize this, be sure to bring your books.

S. P. TATE, Sec.

Eureka News.

Our pastor, Rev. Mr. Hawkins, was absent Sunday and Col. L. E. Campbell filled the vacancy.

We noticed among the many visitors at Eureka Sunday were Misses Haynie, Attie Major, Messrs. Johnnie Cox, Johnnie McCoy, of Neal Creek.

Misses Sallie and Louise Anderson, two sweet young ladies, worshipped at this place Sunday.

Mr. Frank Shirley, of Furman University, visited at home last week.

Mr. Newton Campbell, of Columbia, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Nevy Newell was in our midst Sunday.

Mr. C. L. Tucker and family have moved to Pelzer. Their absence will be greatly missed in our community.

Misses Candie Campbell and Ida Smith, of Triangle, worshipped here Sunday.

Mr. Reuben Vandiver was in our vicinity Sunday.

The new school house at this place will soon be completed.

Miss Nellie Brown, a charming young lady of this place, is visiting in Anderson.

We think from all indications that the wedding bells will ring ere long in our settlement.

The grain crops are looking fine. The farmers have had so much rain that they are getting behind with their work.

Mrs. Ashley, of Hopewell, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Balentine.

NORODYS DAILING.

Wild Hog Items.

Mr. Jessie Palmer, of Georgia, spent last week here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Enos Gambrell, who has been sick long, is improving slowly.

Mr. Joe Moore died at his home in Pendleton Township on Saturday, the 6th inst. Mr. Moore had been sick more than two months. He was buried at Sandy Springs beside his wife, who preceded him to the grave several years ago.

Mr. Hiram Moore, of Townville, spent last Monday here and attended his grandfather's burial.

Mr. Luther Osborne spent last Sunday at Cherry Crossing. Must be some attractions up there, Luther.

Several of our young people attended the Carnival at Anderson week before last.

The farmers generally are done putting in guano and some have already commenced to plant cotton seed.

Rev. J. M. Baily preached to a large audience at Zion last first Sunday morning.

Mr. George Whitten, of Stone Church section, spent last Sunday in Wild Hog.

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Shiloh News.

We have had some fine weather for the past week for farm work, and the most of us have made use of it.

The school closed at this place on last Saturday with a basket picnic and an Easter egg hunt. The occasion was enjoyed by all present.

Married, on Thursday, the 4th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Henry Bishop, all of Piedmont.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Branning visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smith, at Newell, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss M. Moore, of Mountain Springs, visited friends at this place Saturday.

Your humble scribe had the pleasure of attending the Debating Society Saturday night, the subject for discussion being, Resolved, That a poor boy is more apt to become great than a rich boy. There was some fine speaking done on both sides, but the judges decided in favor of the affirmative side.

Rumor says that the wedding bells will ring in this community ere fall gets here.

With best wishes for the dear old INTELLIGENCER, I am

TATE.

Midway Happenings.

Again the rain has come and stopped the work of our busy farmers. This time it was somewhat welcome, as the ground was getting almost too hard to plough.

Our Sunday School met yesterday with Miss Tea Kay, Mr. Jay Kay and Mr. Cecil Keese, of Whitefield, and Miss Margie Vandiver, of Pendleton, and Mr. Fred McConnell, of Concord, as visitors. Our friends may rest assured of a cordial welcome.

To the regret of her many friends, Miss Julia Kay has returned to her home in the Fork.

Quite a number of our people expect to attend Presbytery, which convenes at Piedmont Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. James Martin and Miss Fannie Harper were up in our neighborhood for a short while on Sunday afternoon.

We hope they can make their visit longer next time.

The yellow jessamine and the little minnows are enticing our boys and girls to the river banks.

Mr. Frank Rhody has decided that Eureka surpasses Midway in attractions.

Farewell to the readers of the INTELLIGENCER, for "We Three" are ready for the mountains, and a long farewell to our friends and neighbors in Midway.

WE THREE.

Pendleton Items.

The many friends of Mr. M. M. Hunter are glad to have him back home again. He has been away from our town for several weeks. He has been to Baltimore to be treated and is much improved.

Mr. D. L. Reed moved to Antun Tuesday.

Miss Susie Adger has returned home after a visit of several weeks to Charleston.

Mrs. Law, of Spartanburg, is visiting Miss Susie Adger.

Camp Tally Simpson expects to observe Memorial Day here. They expect to decorate the graves at Stone Church, then come to the different Churches here, then to have speeches, &c. Come one, come all.

Mrs. Marion Norris, of Anderson, is visiting her friends here.

Miss Annie H. Simpson is visiting friends and relatives in Spartanburg.

TELL TALE.

Belton Items.

It was the pleasure of the writer to attend a reception tendered Mr. and Mrs. J. Cliff Green on their return from their trip last Friday evening.

April 12th, by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Green. The attendants and a few friends and relatives were present, and all enjoyed hugely the social feast of the evening.

The surprising and most enjoyable of all was the sumptuous and well prepared supper of which we all partook freely. At a late hour the crowd, with reluctance, began to disperse, carrying with them fond memories of the occasion.

Next Sunday, at 8 p. m., the Rev. Mr. Tate will preach a sermon especially to the Women of the World, to which the public generally are invited. C.

Events of Years Ago.

With your permission, Mr. Editor, we will tell your many readers of a few things that happened years ago, when men who are nearing the three-score mark, and some have passed it, were only joyful, frolicsome boys. Doubtless these things will be remembered by some of those old people whose steps are growing feeble, and whose temples are now adorned with silvery locks. A great many of the men of the heroic times of thirty-five to fifty years ago can now scarcely see their way in this world of light; to use the words of the immortal Washington, "their eyes have grown dim in the service of their country." But this is diverging from what I intended to write. If my memory fails me not, fifty-two years ago, on the 14th day of April, this country was visited by a severe snow storm which fell to a depth of three or four inches. Wheat was beginning to head and was so badly killed out that the farmers made scarcely enough for seed for the following year. Fruits and all kinds of vegetation were killed. In the year 1851 we had a frost on the 14th of May that killed everything green, corn, cotton and all vegetables. The leaves on the trees were all killed and the forests were so naked all summer that they had the appearance of midwinter. In March, 1852, we had three snows, on the 1st, 7th and 9th. Old people will remember that that was one of the coldest winters this country has ever experienced. In the year 1853 a man could have went all winter without putting on his coat, the weather was so warm that the old cotton stalks were not killed and sprouted out in the spring, as did a lot of other plants. If any mistakes have been made in this it is open to correction by any one having a better recollection than I have. Fifty-two years is a long time to remember a person in passing over the rough places of life will have some important dates and other matters jostled out of his memory.

Respectfully,

B. L. BARNETT,

Tola, S. C.

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Waco News.

We are having one day of spring and one of winter, and yet some of our neighbors have commenced planting cotton seed. I am afraid it will hatch out a cotton seed trust.

Miss Mattie McDaniel, daughter of Mr. John McDaniel, has been quite sick with pneumonia, but we are glad to know that she is rapidly improving.

We had the pleasure of hearing a most able and able sermon last Sunday morning at Hopewell by our pastor, Rev. O. J. Copeland, on the Second Coming of Christ. We ought always be ready, watching and waiting for our Lord to come.

Corn that was planted a few weeks ago is coming up very slowly, as the soil has been so wet and cold.

Mr. George Williams had the misfortune to lose his mule last week. We sympathize with him. I feel that the neighbors will contribute very freely to Mr. Williams, as I think it behooves us to do so. Love thy neighbor as thyself.

RICE STRAW.

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Mrs. Newcombe, who died on the 8th, left her fortune of three millions to the Sophie Newcombe college of the Tulane University, New Orleans. She had already given the college \$750,000.

The women of Charleston have undertaken to raise \$20,000 for the erection of a woman's building at the Exposition.

Recently workmen at Beaufort dug up from several feet under the ground two skulls in fine preservation, evidently those of Caucasians.

Letter to Mr. Thomas L. Alston, Anderson, S. C.

DEAR SIR: It takes numerous visits from salesmen to establish a paint agency in a town. Several well-painted sample houses do the business quickly, and therefore in your town, we intend to spend money in FREE PAINT, rather than on salesmen's visits.

Any house-owner who sends us the measurements of his house will at once receive tasty color combinations, and at the same time we will tell him how many gallons of paint we will give him "for nothing."

Our house was established in '67. Been making L. & M. Paint 30 Years. Sold Five Million Pounds last year. Ask any Mercantile Agency or Bank about our Capital and credit.

L. & M. Paint needs the addition of linseed oil, covers better and lasts longer than white lead. You will be glad that you investigated.

Very truly,

LONGMAN & MARTINEZ,

Paint Makers,

207 Pearl St., New York City.

As the hot weather of summer is approaching, this paper will constantly keep before its readers TEETHINA, a remedy which, where known, is being universally used to prevent and counteract the effects of warm weather upon small children, and it is hoped that all mothers of this community will keep their children in a healthy condition by giving it for it costs only 25 cents at drugists; or mail 25 cts. to C. J. Moffett, M. D., St. Louis, Mo.

Roofing, tin work, galvanizing iron work and plumbing done on short notice by Osborne & Osborne.

We offer this week hundreds of pairs of Sam Shoes at prices to please. Come quick while we have your number. Prices on these Shoes too cheap to quote.

Vandiver Bros.

Pot Plants and Cut Flowers for sale. Large and small Palms a specialty. Mrs. J. F. Clinkscales, 242 North Main St.

Money to loan on first mortgage of real property. Apply to Tribble & Prince, Attorneys.

Have hot water pipes run from your stove to bath room. Try Osborne & Osborne.

If you have a Mirror you want Re-Silvered, or want a Mirror made to fit or replace the old broken one, see B. W. SPEER. He will make or repair plates at reasonable prices.

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Jobbers prices on "Schapps," "Early Bird" and "Blue Jay" Tobaccos. Lowest prices on Flour, Coffee, Corn, Bacon, and heavy Groceries. Vandiver Bros.

W. H. Shearer Surveyor. You will find meat Dues & Rat life's. Long distance Phone at my residence.

This is our greatest year. We are proud of our record, and are striving by every honest means to give you for a summer. Give us a trial if you have never done so before.

Vandiver Bros.

Twenty-five Dollars will buy a fairly good square practical Piano at the C. A. Reed Music House. They are intrinsically worth double that amount.

JUST HALF IN TWO!

Yet Increase the Sales!

We have decided to cut our Clothing Stock just half in two. Been carrying too much Stock, yet mean to increase our Clothing sales by keeping a more concentrated stock, larger line of sizes. This decision has necessitated very vigorous means to reduce the Stock. Every dollar in this Store must be an active dollar.

To Move Quick, We have put all our Fancy and Plain Cassimer Suits carried over from last season that we sold for \$10, \$12.50, some \$15 and \$18, at the uniform price of \$7.50. This line of Suits will wear well, of the best makes, fit well, styles and patterns are good. You will not match them anywhere. Economical buyers who love to dress well should see them. A line of Black Clays and Cutaways that we are closing out.

New Clothing

All received and opened up. Choicest of the choice, make equal to the best, fit almost faultless, styles simply grand. We have the best Clothing connection to be found—catchy, nobby styles and cuts, plain, neat, tailor-made effects without the big prices. Every man likes as nice a Suit as he can reasonably buy for the money. We consider that point well in buying. Well selected Clothing is half the battle. What the men like, at economical prices, makes quick sales. The new styles this Spring are Serges, Flannels and Cheviots. Popular prices—\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15.

Pants.

We are giving great attention to our separate Pants stock from the cheapest up to the finest we carry. Will improve our line from season to season. You should see our dressy Trousers from \$2.50 to \$6.50.

Gents' Furnishings, Negligee Shirts,

Men's and Boys' Hats and Shoes.

These departments are new, fresh and strong.

You will find life and vigor in our Stock. We will interest the Cash buyer at once. We are not trying to make any extra hurrah, but propose to sell more men's stuff. At the same time experience and reason teaches us that everything has to be done in straight-forward, business-like manner to do it. Worth of your money every time. Have you call and send your friends is the line on which we are moving. A satisfied customer is a walking advertisement. We will take all the help we can get, and appreciate every good word said for us. We are open for business, and expect to do it by every fair means possible.

Yours truly,

C. F. JONES COMPANY, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

ARE YOU READY FOR SPRING? LESSER AND COMPANY

Now Ready for Spring Business.

IN the line of progress this Store grows better and better, and thus supplies Merchandise at a lower price than they have been in the past. This is as it should be, and now the Store, in Spring attire, offers the best the market affords at the lowest possible selling price.

Our Millinery Showing

This year surpasses in every respect all that you were able to see here a year ago, and this department has received the approval of all who visit our Store, and won for itself a verdict of which we are especially proud.

Our PATTERN HATS are creations of loveliness, and you will find them the prettiest of the pretty.

Then for the Children here are Hats—pretty, saucy affairs—at popular prices, and popular prices prevail throughout this department.

You will also find that our showing of—

Dress Goods, Trimmings,
Neckwear, Fans,
Gloves, Hosiery,
Handkerchiefs, Parasols, Etc.,

Far surpass all previous efforts. The showing is most beautiful.

Then your new Spring apparel will not be complete unless you finish it off with a pair of fine SHOES or SLIPPERS, of which we have a splendid line, and here you will save your money by purchasing from us.

Don't you want to be well dressed?

Don't you want to be in the height of fashion?

Don't you want something different from everybody else?

Don't you want it for the lowest price?

If so, come to us and we promise not to disappoint you.

MOORE, ACKER & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail.

We still have a big line of FLOUR, SYRUP, TOBACCO, CORN, Etc.

BOYS' SUITS, BOYS' HATS, BOYS' PANTS, BOYS' SHOES.

WE are in for the Boys, and if you want a nice Suit for your Boy we can please you in style, quality and price.

Boys' Hats and Caps. This line is complete, up-to-date and stylish.

Boys' Shoes. We can give you a nice Shoe that will wear and give you satisfaction.

Boys' Pants. Don't forget the Boys' Pants at 20c, 25c, 35c and 45c. They are dandies for the money.

Our line Men's Shoes and Pants are big values.

Men's Hats. This line we can and will save you money.

Staple Dry Goods, Notions, &c. Hot Sox, Suspenders, Shirts.

Tinware, a complete line, bought direct from headquarters. Crockeryware. Now we can talk. Our line is first-class, prices rock-bottom and styles the best. Glassware, a complete assortment.

Remember, we give a useful Present to every one who buys a dollar's worth from us.

KEITH & CO. SELL IT FOR LESS.

\$25,000 worth of Staple and up-to-date Merchandise now ready for inspection. We are ready for the largest, liveliest and best Spring we have ever known. Strong Bargains in every department. Our Stock grows larger daily. New Goods are incessantly arriving. No old merchandise. Progressive methods all over the Store. Everything precisely as represented. Prices unvaryingly lower than any other Store for like quantities. Never before in the history of our House have we been able to place before our patrons an assortment to compare in style, quality and price as with our present collection. This is the House to trade with if you want to save money in your Spring purchases. Every department in our House is packed and jammed with Bargains in New Spring Goods. We are going to offer to the trade some Special inducements in the shape of LOW PRICES for the next thirty days.

New Spring Notion Bargains.

25 doz. Ladies' Fine Linen Embroidered Sample Handkerchiefs, worth 20c and 25c.....at only 15c.
1000 yards fine Silk Veiling, worth 15c to 20c.....at only 9c.
500 Ladies' Steel Rod Parasols, worth 80c.....at only 37c.
400 doz. Genuine Pearl Buttons, worth regular 10c.....at only 21c.
10 doz. Ladies' pure Silk Mitts, worth 25c.....at only 15c.
15 doz. Ladies' Leather Belts, worth 25c.....at only 10c.
10 doz. pure Linen Towels, made in Great Britain.....at only 10c.
25 doz. Ladies' Bleached Gauze Undervests.....at only 5c.
1000 yards Embroideries, 4 inches wide, worth 10c.....at only 5c.
50 White Counterpanes, ready hemmed, worth \$1.00.....at only 75c.
10 doz. Boys' Golf Caps, always sold for 25c.....at only 15c.
5 doz. White Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, pair.....at only 45c.

New Spring Dry Goods Bargains.

10000 yards best quality, yard-wide Percales, worth 10c.....at only 71c.
5000 yards Pacific Challies, in beautiful patterns.....at only 5c.
1000 yards Fine Lace Shirting White Goods, worth 8c.....at only 5c.
1200 yards Linen Dress Lawn, beautiful designs, worth 15c.....at only 9c.
500 yards Red and White Table Damask, worth 40c.....at only 23c.
5000 yards French Mercerized Gingham, value 10c.....at only 8c.
1000 yards fast color Chambray, all shades, value